

A regular meeting of the Myerstown Borough Council was held on Tuesday, October 9, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Room at the Myerstown Community Center, the Vice President being in the chair and the Secretary being present.

Present were: Vice President Michael D. Behm, Councilmembers Jeffrey L. Thomas, Ronald L. Ream, and Dana Reich, Mayor Gloria R. Ebling, Solicitor Frederick Wolf, Assistant Manager Barry A. Ludwig, Manager Michael R. McKenna, Treasurer Lee C. Smith, and Code Enforcement Officer John Neely. Absent were President Bryan L. Rittle, President Pro Tem Park W. Haverstick, II, and Council Member Eric L. Powell.

The Chair opened the meeting at 6:33 p.m. and asked everyone to stand and recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

Ronald L. Ream moved and Dana Reich seconded to dispense with the reading of and approve the minutes of the previous month's meetings held on September 11, 2018. Motion carried.

The Chair opened the floor for citizens' and visitors' comments.

Stacy Hackman of 524 S Cherry St expressed appreciation for the 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Community Block Party held on September 29, 2018.

Anna Gettler of Main Street Jewelry & Gifts requested Borough participation in the annual Cookie Walk. She also expressed concern over the damaged sidewalk and metal grates in front of the property at 10 E Main Ave.

Zach Weaver of 213 E Maple Ave requested an update on Phase II renovations for the Community Center. His organization, Myerstown Area Christian School, has proposed leasing space on the upper floor.

Michael Yiengst of 130 W Washington Ave expressed appreciation for the 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Community Block Party held on September 29, 2018. He expressed his hope that the event continue in 2019.

The following reports were presented to Council and placed on file: Mayor's Report, Code Enforcement Officer's Report, Assistant Manager's Report, Solicitor's Report and Manager's Report.

Ronald L. Ream moved and Jeffrey L. Thomas seconded to accept the Treasurer's Report as submitted and have it on file for audit. Motion carried.

Dana Reich moved and Ronald L. Ream seconded to pay the bills as submitted. Motion carried.

Dana Reich moved and Jeffrey L. Thomas seconded to approve the Women's Club request for the Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony & Carol Singing on November 24, 2018. Motion carried.

Ronald L. Ream moved and Dana Reich seconded to approve the request from Heidelberg Township for Fire Police assistance for their parade on Saturday, October 27, 2018. Motion carried.

Ronald L. Ream moved and Jeffrey L. Thomas seconded to approve the advertisement of Ordinance 848 – Amendment to the parking ordinance. Motion carried.

Council recessed the regular meeting and entered Executive Session at 7:18 p.m. to discuss legal matters.

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Council returned from Executive Session at 7:49 p.m. reconvening the regular session.

The Chair asked if there were any additional comments for the good of the borough. Seeing none, he asked for a motion to adjourn.

Ronald L. Ream moved and Jeffrey L. Thomas seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:52 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Michael R. McKenna, MPA  
Borough Manager/Secretary